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4. (Unclassified - YTF) LEGISLATION Talked to Mike O'Neil, Chief Counsel, House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, to set up a meeting for Thursday, 11 April, to brief him on the Civil Service reform bill. [REDACTED] OGC, will accompany me. I asked that Bill Funk, also on the Committee staff, sit in on the meeting.

5. (Unclassified - RJW) LEGISLATION Called the Senate Committee on Governmental Affairs to check on the status of S. 2596, the "Presidential Papers" bill. I was informed that the bill is pending but no action is scheduled at this time on it.

6. (Unclassified - RJW) LEGISLATION Spoke with Ed Gleiman, on the staff of the House Committee on Government Operations, with regard to H. R. 10998, the House version of the "Presidential Papers" bill. Mr. Gleiman had indicated on 31 March that the staff intended to revise the bill. I asked him about the status of the revision process, and he indicated that he is half-way through his revision. He volunteered that, as it is taking shape, the bill would allow the Archivist some leeway with regard to the release of Presidential Papers. However, the revised bill will use the Freedom of Information Act as the principal procedural mechanism re release of "Presidential Papers." Mr. Gleiman indicated that he would welcome a letter stating our concerns with the bill.

7. (Unclassified - RJW) LEGISLATION Called the House Judiciary Subcommittee on Civil Rights, to check on the status of H. R. 10400, the FBI charter legislation. I was informed that nothing has been scheduled on the bill at this time.

8. (Unclassified - RJW) LEGISLATION Called the Senate Judiciary Committee to ask if a witness schedule had been prepared for the FBI charter hearings scheduled for 20 and 25 April. I was informed that no witnesses have to date been confirmed.

9. (Unclassified - RJW) LEGISLATION Called the House International Relations Subcommittee on International Operations to check on the status of H. R. 10585, a bill to establish a Commission to undertake a study to determine the feasibility of a "United States Academy for Peace and Conflict Resolution." I was informed that no action was scheduled to be taken on the bill.

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